GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CIVIL AVIATION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1212
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DIRECT FLIGHT FROM DELHI TO PATNA
RAJO SINGH

Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to start direct flights from Delhi to Patna; and

(b) if so, the steps taken or proposed to be taken in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI SHARAD YADAV)

(a) and (b): At present, there is no such proposal, under consideration of Indian Airlines to start direct flights from Delhi to Patna. Indian Airlines/Alliance Air are, however, operating services between Delhi and Patna via Ranchi/Lucknow. Airline Operators are, however, free to operate on any sector subject to compliance with the Route Dispersal Guidelines and commercial viability.